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**L—Lost and Found**

**LOST**—Large white sow, weighing around 400 lbs. Reward. Julius McDaniel, Bluffs, R. 1. 12-14-3t—L

**LOST**—Beagle hound, 10 weeks old, throrobed, near Gladstone, CH 5-7480. 12-15-3t—L

**LOST**—Male Black Cocker Spaniel, Reward. Phone CH 3-1461. 12-15-3t—L

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**M—For Sale—Pets**

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12-7-tf—M

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**N—Farm Machinery**

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**P—For Sale—Livestock**

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**FOR RENT**—Pleasant sleeping room 823 Grove. Call CH 3-1755 or CH 3-1042. Dr. Hopper. 12-11-tf—R

**FOR RENT**—Modern 4 room house, gas heat. Available Jan 1. Inquire 260 East Vandalia. 12-14-3t—R

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**FOR RENT**—3 meat type purebred Duroc boars. James Hadden. Phone 5-2789. Call evenings. 12-7-tf—P

**FOR SALE**—Landrace bred gilts. Landrace boars. Vernon Rahe, Bluffs, Ill. 12-10-6t—P

**FOR SALE**—Choice registered Angus bull and heifer calves, suitable for show purposes. Hugh Burnett, Nortonville. 12-19-6t—P

**WANTED**—Calves, choice Angus or Herefords, weight 500 lbs. Rob. L. Zeller, Jacksonville, Illinois, CH 5-6892. 12-10-6t—P

**FOR SALE**—Landrace bred gilts, Landrace boars. Vernon Rahe, Bluffs, Ill. 12-14-6t—P

**FOR RENT**—Front sleeping room in private home, hot water heat. 336 West Pennsylvania, CH 5-8956. 12-14-tf—R

**FOR RENT**—3 room apartment, unfurnished, redecorated. Washing privileges. E. O. Sample, phone CH 5-8216. 12-15-tf—P

**FOR SALE**—26 Black Angus calves, weight 450-500 lbs. Lloyd & Paul Blackburn, Winchester, R. 3, PI 2-5793 or PI 2-5819. 12-14-tf—P

**P—For Sale—Livestock**

**FOR SALE**—Berkshire boars, few gilts. Long lean meat type, vaccinated, tested for Bangs, Lepto, Ewald, Felling, R. 2, half mile west Point Church. 12-12-6t—P

**FOR SALE**—9 Hampshire and Yorkshire sheats, vaccinated David Cox, 2½ miles Northwest of Concord. 12-14-3t—P

**FOR SALE**—Registered Polled Hereford bull, 14 months old, cafflood vaccinated and TB tested. Lynn Kulser, Greenfield, Illinois, phone Emerson 8-2248. 12-14-3t—P

**FOR SALE**—2 individual hog houses, good condition, floors and doors, painted. CH 5-2387. W. G. Hadden. 12-14-3t—P

**FOR SALE**—20 pigs. Phone CH 5-8488. 12-14-3t—P

**WANTED TO BUY**—A good milk cow. W. G. Watt, Murrayville, Ill., phone Manchester 6822. 12-14-6t—P

**1956 Olds**, 4 dr., hydrodynamic, radio and heater. 12-14-6t—P

# Air-Ground Search For Wild Dog Pack West Of Jacksonville



Carmen Burgard, (left), manager of Byerly Airlines, looks over an air map of an area west of the city where the wild-dog pack was last noticed. Mr. Burgard acted as pilot during the hunt in one of the Byerly airplanes. County Commissioner Hobart Rigg, (right), kept a sharp eye for the dogs and relayed the information by radio to Sheriff Staley Keller who directed the ground operations.



Sheriff Staley Keller, talking over a portable radio used in the hunt, receives information from the spotter in the air before the hunt as he relays information to radio cars on all sides of the dog-pack. Hunters in the background are gathered around a fire until the location of the dogs is determined.



This picture shows a portion of the volunteers who took part in the hunt Sunday and six of the dogs killed. About fifty volunteers were on hand for the hunt and closed-in on four sides of the pack. Eight dogs were known dead and three wounded. The size of the pack was estimated at about 12 to 15.

## 50 Man Posse Hunts Wild Dogs West Of City Sunday Morning

Farmers living northwest of the city received welcome relief from a pack of wild dogs as about fifty volunteers turned out to form a posse designed to rid residents of the marauders.

Heavy losses of hogs, sheep and chickens have been reported by residents in the past several months due to the dog pack. Several instances of broken fences caused by dogs frightening cattle have also been reported in the area.

Several residents of the area asked county officials for help with the matter last week and plans for the hunt were underway.

Commissioner Hobart Rigg acted as spotter in a Byerly airplane flying over the area while Sheriff Staley Keller and off-duty deputies directed the search on the ground with two-way radios.

## City May Replace Old Ladder Truck In 1959

Possibility that Jacksonville may replace a 31 year old ladder truck in the fire department with a new one during the coming year grew stronger Monday night when Mayor DuBois instructed Alderman Gordon Johnson, chairman of the fire committee, to investigate prices of equipment.

Alderman Johnson told the council the old ladder truck is in the garage again, this time the repairs being more complicated than previously. During the long period the truck has been in service, it has become more difficult to obtain mechanical parts.

### Discusses Election

Referring to the city primary election in February and election in April, Alderman Rowe inquired if the election laws provide for voters incapacitated in homes or hospitals to vote in municipal elections. He suggested that if the laws cover incapacitated voters in city elections, some system be worked out for handling applications.

Final reading of an ordinance prohibiting parking on the west side of Hardin avenue from East State street to Morton avenue, was followed by its adoption on motions by Aldermen Fitzsimmons and Belzer.

### Births

Mr. and Mrs. David Browning of Chambersburg are the parents of a son born Dec. 14 at Schmidt Memorial hospital, weight seven pounds fourteen ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Vittitow, 307 Woodland, became the parents of a son born at 12:49 a.m. Tuesday at Passavant hospital, weight six pounds.

Wheel tax receipts, he said, are running \$600 behind this same period last year. Several councilmen suggested that collection of the tax be stepped up.

Clarence Senn, area manager of the Illinois Power Co., was present and discussed with councilmen the procedure to be taken when the company makes openings in pavements to work on gas mains.

Mr. Senn explained that when gas leaks develop in a locality, it often is impossible to estimate the exact number of openings that will be necessary to locate the source of trouble. The company rushes work of this kind be-

## Illinois Sheriffs To Hold Meeting In Jacksonville

The January meeting of the Illinois Sheriffs' Association will be held in Jacksonville, Sheriff Staley R. Keller of Morgan county said on his return from Taylorville, where several members of the local staff attended a meeting of newly-elected sheriffs Monday night.

One hundred and fifty sheriffs, deputies, F.B.I. agents, and railroad agents attended the gathering, at which law enforcement was discussed by several speakers.

State Treasurer Elmer Hoffmann is president of the association.

Eight dogs were killed during the hunt and three wounded. About fifteen were reported in the original pack.

Fifty volunteers reported for the hunt armed with shotguns. Another hunt in the same area will be conducted in about two weeks if further evidence of the pack is noticed.

## Sorority Holds Christmas Party

Officers for Jacksonville Alumnae Chapter of Alpha Iota sorority were hostesses to other members at the annual Christmas party held at the home of Helen Cole.

A delicious turkey dinner was enjoyed by 26 members and one guest. The tables, along with the rest of the home, were beautifully decorated in keeping with the season.

After dinner the group enjoyed singing holiday songs with Mayme Preston as accompanist. Helen Cole then distributed the many gifts from under the Christmas tree.

Each member took a donation of food or money for a Christmas basket which will be given to a needy family.

Present at the party were Ila Mae Wilson, Edna Walsh, Eldena Walls, Pat Swisher, Martha Richardson, Mayna Preston, Jean O'Daffer, Joyce Nutgrass, Mary Jane Morris, Irene Mitchell, Virginia Miller, Barbara Lutz, Marjorie Eder, Paula Hudson, Lois Hovey, Elizabeth Hardy, Frances Gutmann, Margaret Foote, Marjorie Enke, Marie Ederling, Doris DeShara, Dorothy Crabtree, Helen Cole, Margaret Cargian, Donna Burrus, Mary Bentena, and Linda Norton.

## John Green Party Held At St. Louis

Nine employees of the John Green store of Jacksonville were presented with checks and other gifts at the 13th annual Christmas party of the Greenberg Mercantile Corp. in the Gold room of the Hotel Sheraton-Jefferson in St. Louis, Dec. 14. The total amount of Christmas checks to local employees, including the manager and assistant manager was \$4,101.17.

Personnel from 38 other junior department stores in six states, an assemblage of more than 750 persons, attended the party.

Carl M. Dubinsky, general counsel and executive director of personnel and public relations, was toastmaster.

Those from the Jacksonville store attending the party were Wayne Hibbeler, manager; Dorothy Range, Betty Pultain, Robert Cochran, Jean Breakwell, Veina Nortrup, Dale Gresham, Letta Neese, and Virginia Crouse.

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## Christmas Music To Feature I.C. Chapel

### Mrs. Pullings Of Roodhouse Dies Early Tuesday

ROODHOUSE — Mrs. Sylvia Etta Pullings, 78 year old Roodhouse woman, died early Tuesday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jake Whitworth here.

Mrs. Pullings was born in Sullivan county, Missouri, Jan. 23, 1880.

Her parents were Jacob and Mary Rhodes Garrett. She was twice married, her first husband, Mr. Myers, preceding her in death.

She later married Ralph Pullings who died 20 years ago.

Surviving their mother are two children by her first marriage, Orvie Myers of Pekin and Harry Myers of DelMonte, Calif. The following children survive from the second union, John Pullings, Winchester; Russell Pullings, Bluff City; Cecil Pullings, Brookfield, Ill.; Mrs. Mary Kemper and Mrs. Gladys Fay, both of Jacksonville and Louis Pullings and Mrs. Whitworth, Roodhouse. There are 23 grandchildren.

One sister and two brothers survive. Mrs. Dora Lawhead, Seattle, Wash.; Fred Garrett of Kilbourne and Jessie Garrett, Tampa, Fla. One daughter, Nina Pearl Hoots, preceded her mother in death.

The body was taken to the Wolfe Memorial Home. Arrangements are incomplete.

### Members Of Chapel Choir

Members of the Chapel Choir include Jeannette Davis, Springfield; Edith Drum, River Forest; Ellen Hanson, Freeport; Barbara Hilt, 1307 Edgell Road; Beth Krohn, Hinsdale; Peggy LaMarre, Chicago; Betsy Land, Greenwich; Carolyn Marsh, Waverly; Sharlene Stevenson, Chicago; Jean Stewart, 1042 Grove street; and Lorraine Teileson of Downers Grove, soprano.

Marsha Chancethwaite, 1025 West State street; Sharon Graf, Dixon; Sara Lou Gunst, Forest Park; Marilyn May, Herrin; Kay De Milligan, Santa Fe, N.M.; Nancy Puck, Maywood; Virginia Ramsey, Plainfield; Martha Thomason, Chapin; Patricia Wells, Saint Jacobs, alto.

Robert Broverman, Taylorville; Robert Davis, 609 Jordan street; James Pennington, Springfield; Donald Stewart, 1042 Grove street; Alan Tzenzer, Chicago, tenor.

David Coomber, Lexington, Mass.; Kenneth Johnson, Jacksonville R.R. No. 3; Richard Eckburg, Pecatonica; David Kagi, Springfield; Donald Pruitt, White Hall; William Roosen, Mount Prospect, basses.

This service of worship is open to the public, and friends of the college in the community are cordially invited to attend.

### LUTHERAN LEADER DIES

NORTHFIELD, Minn. (AP) — Dr. Tilman Sogge, 85, Lutheran leader and educator, died Monday of a heart attack. He was chairman of a joint union committee for three Lutheran churches, former government economist and chairman of two departments at St. Olaf College, Northfield.

Surviving are his wife and one son, George D. Fox, at home; one brother, Walter Fox of California. Mr. Fox was preceded in death by one son and one daughter.

He was a member of the Chapel Methodist church.

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Williamson Funeral Home, followed by cremation.

Friends may call at the funeral home at any time. The family requests the omission of flowers.

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## Funeral Services

### Henry D. Ruppel

Funeral services for Henry D. Ruppel of Meredosia will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Lutheran church in Meredosia with Rev. McClarey officiating.

Burial will be made in Meredosia cemetery. The family will meet friends at the Schaefer funeral home from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday.

The remains will be taken to the church one hour before funeral time.

### Richard E. Fox

Services for Richard E. Fox of near Chapin will be held at 9 p.m. Thursday at the Williamson Funeral Home, followed by

cremation.

Friends may call at the funeral home at any time. The family requests the omission of flowers.

### Many Attend McGinnis Rites Tuesday Morning

Funeral services for J. Leo McGinnis at 8:30 o'clock Tuesday morning at Our Saviour's Catholic church were largely attended.

The celebrant of the Solemn

Requiem High Mass was Reverend John B. Kennedy; deacon, Reverend Anthony Chepanski; sub-deacon, Reverend John Spreen of Alton and Reverend Father Tracy from Quincy who was in the sanctuary.

The following will be present:

Rev. and Mrs. William Jones, Ashland; Rev. and Mrs. Robert M. Birdsell, Concord; Rev. and Mrs. George J. Garris, Franklin.

Rev. and Mrs. McKendree M. Blair, MacMurray College and Island Grove; Rev. and Mrs. Clarence S. Bigler, Brooklyn; Rev. and Mrs. Harvey E. Dreibel, Centenary; Rev. and Mrs. William C. Lauer, East Circuit.

Rev. and Mrs. Frank Marston, Grace Methodist; Rev. and Mrs. Fine Main, West Circuit; Rev.

and Mrs. Charles A. Bennett, Virginia.

Also, Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Sullivan, Mrs. John M. Joy, Rev. and Mrs. V. H. Vanhorn.

Caring for the many floral tributes were Mrs. Albert Sprague, Mrs. Charles Cobb, Mrs. John Hegarty, Mrs. William Wallbaum, Mrs. Charles Henry and Mrs. Frank Carson.

Casket bearers were Albert Sprague, Charles Cobb, John Hegarty, William Wallbaum, Charles Henry, Frank Carson, David, and Francis Schirz.

Interment was made in Calvary Cemetery.

Rev. and Mrs. McKendree M. Blair, MacMurray College and Island Grove; Rev. and Mrs. Clarence S. Bigler, Brooklyn; Rev. and Mrs. Harvey E. Dreibel, Centenary; Rev. and Mrs. William C. Lauer, East Circuit.

The Jaycees have arranged with Miss Dorothy Friedland, music instructor at Routh High School, for a student caroling group to accompany the judges as they tour Jacksonville and South Jacksonville viewing the lighted homes.

There is no age limit for those entering the Christmas Lighting Contest, children as well as adults being accepted. Early entry into the Contest is stressed so areas may be zoned as quickly as possible before Dec. 22 for inspection by the judges.

All entries must be sent by mail to: Post Office Box 469, Jacksonville, Illinois. There is no entry fee for the Contest.

The sponsors request lights in the homes of all entered in the Contest be turned on from dark until 10 o'clock the evening of the judging, Dec. 22.

As entries accumulate the locations will be published for the convenience of the public wishing to view the displays.

Roll call will be answered with a verse from the Book of Luke.

Mrs. J. T. Butler will have charge of the Christmas program.

### GRACE CHURCH MYXMAS PARTY DEC. 19

Members of the newly organized MYX, Grace Methodist church, will have a Christmas party Friday evening at the Darrell Wilson home, 21 miles northwest of the city. Cars will leave the church at 7:15 for the Wilson home. After singing carols games will be played and a lunch served at 10:30 p.m.

### Rose Brooks, Well-Known Pittsfield Woman, Dies

PITTSFIELD—Mrs. Rose Heck Brooks, 80, well-known Pittsfield woman, passed away at Illinois Community Hospital Monday at 9:55 p.m. where she had been a patient since Nov. 29.

She was born in Pittsfield July 2, 1878, a daughter of William and Hanna Dreckage Heck.

She was preceded in death by her husband Joseph Brooks about 20 years ago and a son Joseph two years ago.

She was well known in both

community and political circles

throughout Pike county and west

central Illinois, having served

as circuit clerk for a

number of years. She was an

avid Republican. As a young

woman she taught school in

the State of Washington and later

when residing in Kentucky.

### Christmas Decorations

1/2 PRICE